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FM AMEMBASSY JIDDA

TO AMEMBASSY KUWAIT IMMEDIATE

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USMTM DHAHRAN

C O N F I D E N T I A L JIDDA 1666

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, SA, KU

SUBJECT: PROPOSED STOPOVER IN KUWAIT OF SAG F-5E'S

REF: A) JIDDA 1580

B) KUWAIT 1188

C) USMTM DTG 311140Z MAR 74

D) KUWAIT 1228

IN MEETING WITH MINDEF SULTAN ON APRIL ONE CHIEF USMTM
ASKED IF SULTAN WOULD HAVE ANY OBJECTION TO SAG F-5E'S
STOPPING IN KUWAIT FOR REFUELING ENROUTE TO DHAHRAN.
SULTAN REPLIED BY ASKING WHY DOESN'T KUWAIT MINDEF
VISIT DHAHRAN AND SEE ENTIRE F-5 FACILITIES? SAG HAS
NOTHING TO HIDE FROM KUWAIT, SAID SULTAN, AND KUWAITIS
ARE WELCOME TO SEE EVERYTHING. IF KUWAIT MINDEF IS UNABLE
TO VISIT AT PRESENT TIME, SAID SULTAN, LET KUWAITIS SEND
AN ADVANCE TEAM IN HIS STEAD. AMEMBASSY JIDDA COULD, SAID
SULTAN, RELAY THIS MESSAGE TO HIS FRIEND AMBASSADOR
STOLTZFUS, WHO COULD TELL KUWAITIS THEY ARE WELCOME.

COMMENT: SULTAN IS PROBABLY SINCERE IN EXTENDING
INVITATION, BUT IT IS EQUALLY CLEAR THAT HE RELUCTANT THAT
AIRCRAFT BE DISPLAYED IN KUWAIT ENROUTE.
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